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# AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

### INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated November 7, 2005, please amend the aboveidentified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no person are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. 10/523775-Conf. #5722 Effective on 12/08/2004. es pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818). Application Number March 17, 2005 **FEE TRANSMITTAL** Filing Date Frank Alt First Named Inventor For FY 2005 Ling Slu Choi Exeminer Name 1713 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 Art Unit 09086-00219-US Attorney Dockel No. 120.00 TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply) Other (please identify): Money Order Credit Card Check Connolly Bove Lodge & Hutz LLP X Deposit Account Deposit Account Number 03-2775 Deposit Account Name: For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply) Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee x Charge fee(s) Indicated below Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of x | Credit any overpayments fee(6) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 FEE CALCULATION 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES **EXAMINATION FEES** SEARCH FEES **FILING FEES** Small Entity Small Entity Small Entity Fees Paid (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fec.(\$) Fee\_(\$) Fee (\$) Application Type 200 100 250 500 300 150 Utility 65 130 50 100 200 100 Design 80 160 150 100 300 200 Plant 300 600 250 150 500 300 Reissue 0 100 200 Provisional Small Entity 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES Fee (\$) <u>Fee (\$)</u> Fee Description 50 25 Each claim over 20 (including Reissues) 100 200 Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissucs) 360 180 Multiple dependent claims Multiple Dependent Claims Total Claims Extra Claims Fec Paid (\$) Fee (\$) Extra Claims Indep. Claims -3= 3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thoreof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s). Fea Paid (\$) Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof Fee (\$) Extra Sheeta Total Sheets (round up to a whole number) x /50 - 100 a Fees Paid (\$) 4. OTHER FEE(S) Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount) 120.00 Other (e.g., late filing syrchargo): 1251 Extension for response within first month SUBMITTED BY (302) 658-9141 Registration No. Telephone 48,179 Sinnalure

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